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A BUSY DAY PUT IN BY “TEDDY”

People of Alabama no Less
Enthusiastic Than Others
in Greeting the President.

PLEASING REFERENCES TO CONFEDERATE ARMY

Drunken Man With a Gun Was
Not Safe to Be Around and
He Was Arrested at Roose-
velt's Request.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 24.—President Roosevelt concluded a strenuous day in Alabama with a two hours' visit to Birmingham, where his reception, in keeping with those given him at Montgomery and Tuskegee, was hearty and soul stirring. His day began at 7 o'clock when the special left Montgomery for Tuskegee. Visits to Tuskegee normal and to the Methodist female college were crowded into a little less than two hours, and the noon hour had just arrived when the executive stepped from his car in Montgomery.

He spoke to a great throng under the shadow of the Confederacy's first capital and was on his way again at 2 o'clock. A few minutes before 5 o'clock the president was the guest of Birmingham and until his train left at 4:45 p.m., on the night run to Little Rock, he was cheered at every turn.

A Drunken Man.

The day was unmarked by any special incident save at Birmingham. Here a drunken man, in his excitement, dropped a pistol from his pocket on the pavement. The president saw the incident and called the attention of the officers to the man, who was arrested.

To Capitol Park.

Mayor Ward made the formal address of welcome at the station here and immediately afterward the party entered carriages and began the march to Capitol park, eight squares distant. The entire line of march was packed with people. The ovation was continuous and the president stood in his carriage the entire distance acknowledging the outburst of enthusiasm. Capitol park was brilliantly lighted. The party entered the speakers' stand and great applause greeted the president as he arose to speak. He began by speaking of Alabama's wonderful recovery from the desolation of the war and referred to the state's great natural resources.

Proud of the Men.

"But my friends," he continued, "there is something that is ahead of any kind of natural resources and that is the citizenship of the man of the soil. I am proud of our great industrial prosperity but I am prouder of the men who have achieved it. Think what it means for our nation to have the president of the United States greeted as he has been greeted today; on his right and on his left hand, as the guard of honor, the veterans of the civil war, the men who wore the blue, the men who wore the gray united forever."

Given a Badge.

Following the president's speech, Ex-Governor Johnson spoke in behalf of the United Confederate Veterans and presented to the president several young women, descendants of Confederate soldiers and spouses and maidens of honor, who presented to the president a badge from Camp Verde.

"We do this to express to you our respect for the president of the United States," said the governor, "our confidence in the courage, unselfish patriotism and generous impulses of Theodore Roosevelt and in appreciation of your many kindnesses to the Confederate veterans."

Born in Wrong Place.

"We present this to you sir, because we believe you come nearer standing for the ideals that have inspired our lives than any president we have had since the war. Had we been born north of the Mason and Dixon line, Mr. President, many of us in the war between the states might have followed the flag of our fathers, the Stars and Stripes, but we are sure that had you been born twenty years earlier, and in Georgia, where you should have been born, you would have been a gallant leader of a brigade under Forrest or Stuart."

From Capitol park the party went to Third avenue and Twentieth street and boarded a special electric train and proceeded to the state fair grounds. The crowd at the fair was enormous and greeted the president enthusiastically as he rose to deliver a brief address. From the fair grounds the president returned to the city and left for Memphis at 7:30.

Electric Car in Collision.

NEW BALTIMORE, Mich., Oct. 24.—Half a dozen persons received severe injuries and twenty were slightly hurt today in a collision between a rapid railway electric car southbound from Port Huron for Detroit, and a connection train.

Train Robber Released.

DETROIT, Oct. 24.—O. Bert Curtis, sent to the house of correction from Colorado for life in 1892 for participation with "Peg" Brown in a sensational train robbery in which \$3000 was taken, was released today, his sentence having been commuted several years ago by President McKinley.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—In a bill filed today asking appointment of a receiver for the independent brewing company, Lee Ernst, president, and Emil Ernst, treasurer, are charged with having obtained about \$100,000 from the company without the knowledge of the stockholders.

HARKEEPER KILLED BY INFURIATED MAN FOR NO KNOWN CAUSE

POCATELLO, Idaho, Oct. 24.—James Ryan, an employee of the Elks saloon, was shot and killed today by William McClure, who came into the saloon flourishing a revolver, announced that he had just had a row with his wife, and declared, "I am going to shoot somebody." After he had fired two bullets into the glassware on the bar, causing the barkeeper to drop to the floor, he turned on Ryan and shot him down. McClure was overpowered and taken to jail. He declined to talk.

ANOTHER ARREST IN CONNECTION WITH THOSE PHONY BILLS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—John Rooney, a Canadian, was arrested today on suspicion of being one of the gang of counterfeiters lately indicted in Honolulu.

It is alleged that he was implicated by John Shea, who with John Duffy, is in the custody of the United States marshal, awaiting the arrival of a certified copy of the indictment. Rooney came to San Francisco as a stowaway on the transport Sherman. The specific charge against him is that he had in his possession at Honolulu bogus \$10 bills.

Togo's Great Performance.

TOKIO, Oct. 24, 6 p.m.—It has been learned that Vice Admiral Togo's flagship, the Mikasa, was not once at anchor for five months prior to the time the Russian battleship Sevastopol was torpedoed off Port Arthur in December last. The admiration of the Japanese people for Vice Admiral Togo is unbounded.

CONDITIONS IN RUSSIA

Influx of Speculators on Heels of Peace.

Railroad Strikes Assuming More Serious Shape—Meat Famine is Imminent.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 24.—Anticipating a big industrial revival in Russia as a result of the close of the war there is an influx of foreigners seeking commercial opportunities and concessions, including a liberal sprinkling of Americans who believe the time is especially propitious for them. A representative of an American syndicate has submitted elaborate plans for the projected railroad connecting Trans-Caucasia, Central Asia, and Tashkend with the trans-Siberian and Tomsk line. The road involves the expenditure of \$15,000,000.

The strike situation is growing worse. Several more of the smaller lines were tied up today. The few days paralytic of freight traffic is already being severely felt. At Moscow there is danger of a famine. The prices of food are soaring.

St. Petersburg is threatened with a meat famine.

The report that Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador at Washington will succeed Count Lambsdorff as foreign minister, is not confirmed, but it is definitely stated that the promulgation of an edict establishing a cabinet with Count Witte at its head may be expected in a few days.

The negotiations for the new Russian loan proceeded rapidly today and success is considered to be practically assured.

MOSCOW, Oct. 24.—The strikers have damaged the water conduit between Moscow and Mytishchi and some sections of Moscow are without water. A meeting of 10,000 strikers today decided to prevent telegraphic communication, which already is becoming very difficult.

KHARKOFF, Russia, Oct. 24.—A serious conflict between the troops and the people, during which there were many casualties on both sides, occurred here last night. While a meeting of 20,000 citizens, students and workmen was in progress the cry of "The Cossacks are coming" was suddenly raised and a panic followed. Many persons were injured in the rush. Subsequently the crowd came in contact with a detachment of cavalry, revolver shots were fired by some of the civilians and small bombs were hurled among the cavalry. The latter thereupon fired two volleys with blank cartridges and then fired with bullets. Both sides suffered seriously. Many of the wounded were left on the ground when the crowd dispersed.

Strikers have since plundered the gunsmith stores and have armed themselves. A number of bakeries have been destroyed and all work has been stopped at others.

Scarcity in the necessities of life is already felt here.

Forged Bills of Lading.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 24.—W. H. Harroun, charged with having forged \$700,000 worth of bills of lading and obtaining money on them, was found guilty by a jury tonight and the penalty fixed at five years in the penitentiary. The forgeries were committed a year ago and were principally on Burlington bills of lading.

For Courtesy to Kermit.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 24.—As a result of the recent visit of Kermit Roosevelt to the Black Hills on a hunting expedition, Bert Tilley, guide on that occasion, today received from the White House a handsome hunting axe from the president as a reward for courtesy shown Kermit on his trip. Kermit expects to make the same trip next summer.

McClintock's Story.

McClintock was the first witness today. McKeen, of counsel to the committee, who has made a study of the technical points of life insurance, conducted the examination of McClintock. The witness said he had been an actuary of various companies since 1888. He became actuary of the Mutual Life Insurance company in 1899. He was president of the Actuarial society of America from 1895 to 1897 and has been a fellow of the Institute of Actuaries of Great Britain since 1894.

BUENOS AIRES, Argentine Republic, Oct. 24.—A dispatch from Santiago de Chile says that about fifty persons were killed and 500 wounded during the rioting there.

INSURANCE GRAFTERS AGAIN

Mutual Life Pays Big Sums for
Telegraphic Reports Colored
to Suit in Papers.

MAGAZINE ADVERTISING COSTS SMALL FORTUNE

Lame Attempt Was Made By
An Expert Actuary to Ex-
plain the Extraordinary De-
crease in Dividends.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—At the session of the legislative commission investigating the insurance companies, the affairs of the Mutual were under consideration and it was brought out that this company was paying for the dissemination throughout the country of reports of this investigation favorable to the company.

Charles B. Smith, a newspaper man, was the witness. He is employed by the Mutual to do a large number of things, but a month ago was placed in charge of sending out these reports. Smith had vised a number of vouchers for the payment of this work and these aggregated \$11,000, with more bills to come in. Smith wrote these reports and submitted them to Allen Forman, who owns the Telegraphic News Bureau, and \$1 a line was paid by the Mutual Life for the service of it.

It Was Worth It.

These dispatches were sent to about 100 papers, but Smith did not know whether the papers were paid for inserting them. In one dispatch Smith wrote that McCurdy's attitude on the stand "made a distinctly favorable impression," and for this he had to pay \$2 a line. This, he said, was worth it.

Advertising Fund.

Following Smith, Walter Sullivan, who has charge of the magazine advertising department, was called. He said the Mutual advertised in twelve magazines last year at a cost of about \$42,000. Advertising in insurance papers cost about \$30,000 more, but he could not tell where the remainder of the account of \$928,000, the amount charged to the advertising last year, was spent.

Favors No Laws.

Earlier in the day Emory McClintock, the actuary of the Mutual Life, was on the stand. McClintock practically advocated no laws for the insurance companies except a certain supervision to give the reports publicity. He thought the public could take care of themselves and that publicity was the best law.

Asked how far this view was shared in official circles, he thought he was somewhat of a missionary along that line. McClintock was to have been on the stand again in the afternoon session, but during the recess he was seized with a slight attack of vertigo, to which he was subject. He will be called again tomorrow.

Another President.

John R. Hegeman, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, was being examined when the adjournment was taken this afternoon, his testimony being unfinished.

While lacking the startling features of the testimony of some of the other life insurance presidents, Hegeman's remarks and explanations were none the less interesting, especially his statements that \$876,000 was given to the industrial policy holders of his company last year without any litigation whatever.

It was brought out that while the company carried collateral loans throughout the year, none appeared in the annual report on December 31st. This was explained by the witness who said that all collateral loans were transferred on the last day of the year to Vermilye & Co., the bankers, under agreement and were brought back in January. This was done to avoid the horde of applications for call loans from the Wall street district. Hegeman said that moral and financial support so unreservedly given at the most critical period in her history.

No. 2—Japan has no designs on the Philippines: If a bona fide statement of responsible parties fails to convince let us try a brief argument. Laying aside entirely for the moment, for the sake of argument, the impotence of Japan regarding the present subject, let me ask you a question. Can you believe that this great American people, who glory in their national spirit, in their gigantic strength, in their boundless wealth, in their marvelous development, and who look forth with proud and confident anticipation to the time when they shall be the first in the race civilization has set for man to run, would allow her flag to be lowered, be it in the Philippines or any other place, which legitimately belongs to her by any hands but hers? No, most emphatically, no.

"That is the spirit with which you cling to your new possessions in the Pacific and that ought more to be the spirit of the Americans than the Japanese. Therefore, if Japan harbored such a sinister design as is attributed to her she must be prepared to plunge into a war far more gigantic than the one just ended, against a nation to which she owes much for what she is today, and to whose people she owes that moral and financial support so unreservedly given at the most critical period in her history.

No. 3—Japan's influence in China: The increased prestige of Japan turned the eyes of the world toward the problem of what influence Japan will wield over China. Without questioning the value of the principles contained in the so-called Monroe doctrine or its applicability to the Western hemisphere, at present, I can simply say that such an idea has not entered into Japanese money which such a war would necessarily entail.

"3—The open door in China: The increased prestige of Japan turned the eyes of the world toward the problem of what influence Japan will wield over China. Without questioning the value of the principles contained in the so-called Monroe doctrine or its applicability to the Western hemisphere, at present, I can simply say that such an idea has not entered into Japanese money which such a war would necessarily entail.

No. 4—Japanese influence in China: It is a matter for congratulation for Japan, as well as for all other nations, that there is a fair prospect of the increase of Japanese influence in China as a result of her increased prestige.

No. 5—The industrial and commercial development of Japan: The last war with Russia has increased the national debt of Japan to the amount of \$960,000,000, on which interest alone requires nearly \$50,000,000 annually. It is indeed a heavy, an enormous, burden and every dollar of it, interest and principal, must be paid.

No. 6—Japanese immigration into the United States: It is seen frequently printed in newspapers that when the war with Russia is over and the broadening of the suffrage will be fully confirmed. It can be accompanied by the practical freedom of the press and of meeting, in order to meet the popular demands. Count Witte insisted that only in this way could the country be tranquilized and the emperor apparently needed the publication of such a document.

No. 7—The future of the Orient: The Orient with more than half the population and more than one-third of the land of the entire world, with a commerce amounting only to \$3,000,000,000 annually, is that only a little over one-seventh of the total trade of the world, offers almost unlimited possibilities for future developments.

The army maneuvers have been suspended and during the day more troops reached Santiago and with their arrival relative tranquility prevailed and the city is gradually assuming its normal condition.

A bitter feeling prevails against the authorities. The outbreak is not confined to political but it is believed to be the work of rowdies.

The officials of the street railroads estimate damage done to their property at about \$250,000.

BUENOS AIRES, Argentine Republic, Oct. 24.—A dispatch from Santiago de Chile says that about fifty persons were killed and 500 wounded during the rioting there.

McClintock supported the statement made on the stand by John A. McCall, president of the New York Life Insurance company, as to the causes leading to the many failures during the early days of insurance in this state. The companies failed, said McClintock, because they had nothing to support them but the current premiums. The Metropolitan Insurance company, the witness continued, was on the eve of failure at one time but managed to prosper by adopting the industrial plan of insurance.

McClintock said the Mutual Life's charter called for a division of profits among the policy-holders every five years, previous to 1860. In 1862 a dividend was added to the policy. The next division of profits was in 1863 and this dividend was payable at death. All the policyholders knew, was that a certain amount was added to his policy which he was to receive at his death. In 1860 and 1863 other dividends were made. Witness was not clear as to whether they were paid in cash upon surrender of the policy.

To Meet Competition.

In the sharp competition between the New York Life Insurance and the Equitable Life Assurance society with the Mutual Life Insurance company in 1870, the Mutual offered new policy-holders a 30 per cent rebate on the first year's premium. This was an open public and avowed rebate. There was so much objection to this that in 1873 the Mutual reduced rates at a 15 per cent reduction in rates. Outstanding policyholders were privileged to avail themselves of the reduced rate, but with a reduced dividend.

Decreasing Dividends.

McClintock said it was one of these reduced rate policies that was under observation last week, when the letter of the holder to the committee was read to McCurdy, reciting a gradual reduction of from \$25.75 to \$3 in dividends. McClintock said there were more complaints from these policyholders than any others the company had.

Senator Armstrong then asked why the policyholders progressively drew less dividends as they grew older, and McClintock said that the rate of interest thirty years ago was 6 1/2 per cent, which was distributed to policyholders. Twenty years ago it was 6 per cent and it has been progressively diminished every year, until it was 4.3 per cent at the end of 1903. Today the company is giving credit for 4.1 per cent, which, he said, exceeds the credit given by any savings bank. The policyholders, however, only get what is above 4 per cent.

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"That is the spirit

Don't forget the Bond Election next Tuesday, October 31st. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the issue—vote for the Sewer Bonds and City Hall.

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Windows for
goods on Spe-
cial Sale, Un-
derpriced But
Not Adver-
tised.

Egottschalk & Co.
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SEND US YOUR ORDERS BY MAIL
We give special attention to all mail orders. They are filled on the day of arrival.

A Safe Place
to Trade. We
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Money.

Ladies' Suit Sale Today, \$10.00

35 Suits, in Values from \$18.50 to \$25.00, on Sale Today \$10.00

Not one suit in this lot sold before 9 a.m. Your chances are good for the best choice if you are here sharp on time. At this ridiculously low price we expect to sell every suit before 12 o'clock. These are the suits that have been on special display in our windows the past two days. You will find nearly all sizes in the assortment, made of cheviots, serges, and mixed tweedings, in the regular fall colors. Come in and see if we can fit you with a regular \$25.00 suit for the small sum of \$10.00 today. Alterations will be extra.

Better Domestic Values Than Ever Before

Every month is a big increase in business over the same month of last year. The great trade in this department is well merited, because we are giving our customers a better grade of merchandise for less money than ever they got in Fresno before. One customer sold means a satisfied customer. It's the best kind of advertisement we could have for their money.

Prices lower on these goods than you ever paid in Fresno. 2000 yards of standard grade Flannelette 5¢.

For today's selling, 2000 yards of extra good grade Flannelette in all the best staple patterns, in figures and stripes and dark colors, regularly worth anywhere 8c a yard, on special sale at special low price 5¢

Good Comforters \$1.90

It's light weight, but thick and warm, silklinen covering filled with carded cotton, stitched or tufted. You will pay any place for this comforter \$2.25. A special value here at \$1.90

Wool Blankets \$4.50

If you're looking at blankets come and see them, they are an extra special at \$4.50, being worth \$6.00 and sold other places at that price. Extra large, double bed size in white with fancy borders.

White Bedspreads \$1.40

Of course we have cheaper ones, but this is one of our extra special values today; large double bed size, crocheted white bedspreads in various designs, worth \$1.75; on special sale today \$1.40

Bleached Muslin 8 1-3¢

Full, 35 inches wide and sold in regular way at 10c a yard; today's special 8 1-3¢

Unbleached Sheet 20¢

It's 72 inches wide, made of a good round thread that wears; regular price 24c.

Dress Goods Special Tomorrow

All Wool Albatross at 39¢

Our regular Albatross at 50c yard in all colors, go on sale tomorrow at 39¢ yard.

85¢ Repellant Cloth 59¢ 60c Rain Proof Suitings 50¢

A rain-proof cloth, 50 inches Full 38 inches in real man-wide; used principally for sep-lish effects, in colors of grey, arate skirts in black, navy, brown, blue and green; very garent and grey.

NEMO CORSETS.

The Nemo Corsets work wonders with figures of every type, whether slender, medium or overly stout. It is everything that a good corset should be with many exclusive features of its own. Least weight with most strength. Perfect fitting, producing correct lines. An experienced fitter in attendance at this department all the time.

Amusement Hall a Great Feature of the Store.

When you are down town don't miss a visit to Amusement Hall. It is one of the up-to-date features of Gottschall's progressive department store. The entertainment there is everything you could desire. The illustrated song by Mr. J. W. Southwick is exceptionally well rendered and you can not help but enjoy those moving pictures. They're so funny and real. Come and bring the children. It's free to all from 3 to 5 p.m. every afternoon.

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Delicious chocolate creams by express from San Francisco today. 40¢ lb. box.



Peanut Taffy.
25¢
Just fresh in by express this morning. Place your orders early for this candy today.

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MOISTURE

IS NEEDED

Weather and Crop Report of California.

Dry Feed is Plentiful in This Valley But Becoming Scarce Elsewhere.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—Dry and generally clear weather prevailed during the past week, except light showers along the southern coast on Saturday and Sunday nights. Light frosts occurred quite generally in the northern portion of the state on the 18th and 19th, but caused no damage. Through out the interior of the state the conditions were excellent for fruit drying and raisin making and rapid progress was made with both. The raisin harvest is now nearly over in all districts; the yield was good and the quality excellent. Citrus fruits are making good growth in all sections. Oranges are developing rapidly and promise a large crop of superior quality. In portions of the San Joaquin valley they have begun to color.

Large shipments of Tokay grapes continue from the American river district. Wineries are generally running to their full capacity. The apple crop will be large and of good quality. Walnuts are maturing slowly in the southern part of the state, but the harvest has commenced in Son Luis Obispado county. The crop will be good. The peach crop is nearly all harvested, and is large and of good quality. In the San Joaquin district the yield of guavas is excellent, and is superior to that of last year both in quantity and quality. The honey yield is good.

Plowing and seeding are progressing in the northern part of the state. Dry feed is plentiful in the San Joaquin valley, but getting poor in other districts. Stock are healthy and generally in good condition. Rain is badly needed in all districts.

Sacramento Valley.

Clear weather with pleasant days and cool nights prevailed during the past week. These conditions were favorable for beans and fruit drying. Light frost occurred on the 18th, but caused no damage. Large shipments of Tokay grapes continue from the American river district. Prune drying is about completed; the crop was light. Grapes continue to go to the wineries. Citrus fruits are making excellent progress and promise good crops. Dry plowing and seeding are progressing. Cattle and sheep are in good condition and healthy, but feed is getting scarce. Rain is badly needed. A good apple crop will be harvested.

Coast and Bay Sections.

Generally clear weather with pleasant days and cool nights prevailed during the past week. Heavy frosts have occurred in the mountain sections, but caused no damage. Farm work is generally backward owing to the absence of rain.

Plowing is progressing in the northern counties. The apple crop is large and of excellent quality. The bean crop is nearly all in sacks; the crop is large and of good quality. A good crop of walnuts is being harvested. The grape harvest is completed and most varieties were a good yield. Pruning is progressing. Dry feed is scarce and cattle are doing only fairly well.

San Joaquin Valley.

Clear weather with warm days and cool nights prevailed during the past week. Light frosts occurred generally on the nights of the 18th and 19th, but caused no damage. Raisins are being hauled to the packing houses which are running to their full capacity. Large shipments of raisins were made to eastern markets during the week. Wine grapes continue to be picked and shipped to the wineries. Olives are progressing and promise a good crop. Alfalfa threshing is about completed. Oranges are coloring slightly and promise a large crop. Dry plowing and seeding are progressing. Dry feed is plentiful and stock are healthy and in good condition.

Southern California.

Generally fair weather prevailed during the past week, with light showers along the coast Saturday night and in the extreme south Sunday night. Fruit drying and raisin making are nearly completed. Nine-tenths of the raisin crop is packed and many carloads have already been shipped. Grapes are yielding splendidly, the quality and quantity exceeding that of last year. Walnuts are ripening very slowly. Late potatoes are making good progress. A large crop of beans is being harvested. Citrus fruits are in excellent condition and promise large crops. The water supply is increasing with the cooler weather.

Tourist Car East.

Every Wednesday Through San Joaquin Valley.

If going East, remember that a comfortable tourist car, personally conducted, leaves San Francisco, 10:30 a.m. every Wednesday over Southern Pacific line, through San Joaquin Valley by daylight to Los Angeles and then via San Antonio and M. K. & T. line to St. Louis. Ask Southern Pacific agents.

Hockenberry's Advice.

To the business and professional men.

Now is the time to collect your outstanding accounts. Don't wait until the first of the year. Then people will have other use for their money. I am the oldest and only bad debt collector with money to loan on any kind of security in the San Joaquin Valley. Place your bills where you will get the money. Beware of fakers. Remember the name and place.

JAKE HOCKENBERRY,
1138 J Street.

One of the Best Exhibits.

A striking exhibit is the Mellin's Food booth at the Lewis & Clark Exposition, with oil paintings, statuary, hundreds of life-like portraits of real babies and the Baby in the Biogen. One of the best booths in the Agriculture Building, if not in the Exposition. Don't fail to call and see the 20 special pictures of Mellin's Food babies.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during our late bereavement.

MRS. AND MR. Z. STOLLERTSEN AND BROTHERS AND PARENTS.

Change that sallow, puny face to a clear, clean one, and secure the ruddy glow of health, by using Leah's Kidney and Liver Bitters.

TIGERS SHUT OUT COMMUTERS' TEAM

Change of Air Has Good Effect on Mike Fisher's Royal Bengals—Other Coast Games.

OAKLAND, Oct. 24.—Tacoma shut Oakland out today. Emerson allowed the local team only four scattering hits. For Tacoma, Eagan made a home run and Dunneavy rapped out a three bagger. Tacoma's fielding was errorless.

Score: R. H. E.

Tacoma 4 9 0

Oakland 0 4 2

Batteries—Emerson and Graham; Bledsoe and Byrnes; Umpires—Hackett and Hogan.

At San Francisco—The home team won today's game from Portland in the first inning. Waldron, the first man up, walked. Mohler hit to Gates and Ats missed the throw to second. Waldron taking third and Mohler going to second. Hillstrand singled over first, scoring the two runners. After the first inning no more runs were made. Whalen pitched a good game for the winners and the playing of Irwin at third was a feature. Score:

R. H. E.

Portland 0 1 2

San Francisco 2 4 1

Batteries—Cates and McLean; Whalen and Wilson; Umpire—Davis.

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles took the opening game from Seattle today notwithstanding that the visitors made one more hit and three less errors than the locals. The eighth inning was Seattle's undoing. In this inning, after two men were out, the locals secured six runs, on four bases on balls, two singles and a double. Jones was taken out in the middle of this inning and Miller substituted, but he failed to check the run getting. In this inning the visitors lost their heads and threw the ball around indiscriminately, allowing the home team to run bases and to score without effort. The eight hits which Seattle secured off Hall were well scattered, and they scored in but two innings. Score:

R. H. E.

Los Angeles 7 7 4

Seattle 2 8 1

Batteries—Hall and Eager; Jones, Miller and Blankenship; Umpire—Perrine.

SAMOAN NATIVES ENJOY PROSPERITY FROM COPRA YIELD

TUTUILA, Samoa, Oct. 10, via San Francisco, Oct. 24.—The quantity of copra produced in the islands has so far the year exceeded the production of all former years, and before the end of the season, in January next, it is expected that the output will be 50 percent greater than last year. The natives have abundance of money and are spending it in feasting. One small village of a little over 200 people has ordered 100 barrels of beef to commemorate the prosperous year.

Governor Moore has ordered a meeting of representatives of the islands to convene towards the end of the present month at Pago-Pago for the purpose of discussing island affairs. The people are now appointing the representatives to attend the meeting on their behalf. There will be about fifty delegates to the congress.

TO REDUCE TIME FROM LOS ANGELES TO SALT LAKE CITY

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24.—The Los Angeles, San Pedro and Salt Lake railroad has decided to reduce the running time of its through passenger trains between Los Angeles and Salt Lake to twenty-six hours, which will cut the running time between this city and Chicago to sixty-eight hours.

The through limited train which will be put on by the Salt Lake Union Pacific Northwestern routes to Chicago, will be known as the "Los Angeles Limited" and the name will appear on every coach of the splendidly equipped train.

HONOLULU, Oct. 17, via San Francisco, Oct. 24.—Henry Kapea, the young Hawaiian who was recently extradited from London on a charge of embezzling about \$6000 in securities from the Hawaiian Trust company, pleaded guilty and was sentenced by Judge Robinson to two and a half years at hard labor.

Southern California.

Generally fair weather prevailed during the past week, with light showers along the coast Saturday night and in the extreme south Sunday night. Fruit drying and raisin making are nearly completed. Nine-tenths of the raisin crop is packed and many carloads have already been shipped. Grapes are yielding splendidly, the quality and quantity exceeding that of last year. Walnuts are ripening very slowly. Late potatoes are making good progress. A large crop of beans is being harvested. Citrus fruits are in excellent condition and promise large crops. The water supply is increasing with the cooler weather.

PANAMA CANAL WILL BE COMPLETED WITHIN TEN YEARS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Isham Randolph, member of the board of consulting engineers for the Panama canal, has written a letter to Zina R. Carter, president of the sanitary district of Chicago, in which he says he expects the canal to be completed before 1915. The work of preparation, he says, is going on speedily and when the equipment is on hand and the organization perfected at least 40,000 men will be required on the canal. Much of the present labor is worthless because the demand is larger than the supply. The application of the eight-hour system to the canal he regards as a lamentable mistake and will add about 25 per cent to the cost of labor. He declares many statements foreshadowing the report of the consulting engineers "can be set down as the manufacture of a news monger."

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ROOSEVELT IN THE SOUTH.

President Roosevelt has shown himself the most skilled politician of the age. Whether it is adroitness or genius, perhaps history can judge better than we, but in either case it is wonderfully successful. Just as the accomplishment of peace in the Orient was the supreme accomplishment of Roosevelt as a statesman, so this trip through the South is his supreme accomplishment as a politician. It has been frankly a "jolling" tour, for the dissemination of "hot air," but the eagerness with which the dose was swallowed is the highest tribute to the palatability with which it was concocted. In other words, Roosevelt went South to say not wise things, but tactful things, and he has succeeded wonderfully. He has succeeded not merely in winging the personal regard of the Southern people, but, still more important, in breaking down much of the remnant of sectional feeling existing there. And he has done it by methods remarkably simple. He has shaken hands with the widow of Stonewall Jackson, and expressed genuine delight as seeing her. He has praised the valor of Southern soldiers, and uttered the obvious truism that the memory of their valor is a heritage of the nation. He has visited his mother's Southern birthplace, been photographed with two of the old family slaves, and told how his great-grandfather was the first revolutionary governor of Georgia, and two of his uncles were officers in the Confederate navy. And finally, yesterday, in an address to the negro students at Tuskegee, Alabama, he omitted to say a word about the political rights of the negro. This was tactful, as respects the Southern white people, and the choice of Tuskegee as the place in which not to say it was tactful toward the negroes, since that is the place in which the most respected leader of their race also studiously and conspicuously omits to talk politics.

To say that these things are tactful is not to say that they are insincere or untrue. On the contrary, they are an absolutely truthful expression of President Roosevelt's genuine feelings, in which, so far as they go, the whole nation also shares. But the choice of these pleasant personal details and inconsequential truisms is nevertheless deliberate. President Roosevelt knows very well that the issues and problems over whose surface he has skipped go far beneath that surface, and he has very profound convictions in regard to their deeper reaches. But he has not discussed these deeper reaches, simply because he realizes that what the South now wants is not wise advice on great questions, but the assurance of personal sympathy. The people of the South know that their problem is long and difficult. What they want is some assurance that the North realizes it, too, and that it credits their honesty of purpose in facing it. There is no longer any fundamental difference to divide the North and South. All that was left was a tradition of personal hostility. McKinley differed with the South on the most vital questions, and imposed negro officials on them wholesale, but he went among them with his lovable personality, and suggested the gentle sentiment of decorating the graves of the Blue and the Gray together, and the great heart of the South went out to this hostile but sympathetic man. Roosevelt, agreeing with the South far more closely than McKinley, appointing no more negroes than Cleveland, nevertheless impressed the South with the decision that he was personally unsympathetic with them. So they hated and lampooned him. Now they find that he is personally near to them, in feeling and associations, and that is all they wanted to know.

UNIONS FOR THE BONDS

Four Bodies Have Already Taken Favorable Action.

The union labor men of Fresno are showing themselves to be in favor of the voting of the bonds next Tuesday. This action is giving great encouragement to those who are interested in the public improvements that the bonds will permit.

Last Friday evening the Federated Trades and Labor Council met, approved both issues and passed the whole matter down to the various unions for approval.

Monday night, the Cooks and Waiters met and approved the bonds. Last night the Clerks' union had a large meeting at which the question was discussed and then unanimously approved. The Carpenters' union also met and gave its support to the proposed improvements.

It is fully expected that the other unions in the Federated Trades will also express accordance with the ideas already advanced.

WILL PLANT A CITY AVENUE

San Pablo Improvement Club Meets This Evening.

The San Pablo Improvement club will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the residence of George Marks, the president, No. 444 San Pablo avenue. The purpose of the meeting is the discussion of the proposed bond issues, and of various matters of more particular interest to the street.

The club was formed last year and a plan adopted for the planting of a uniform scheme of trees upon that handsome avenue. This work is to be done this fall, and final arrangements will be made this evening. The trees to be planted are acacias. The club has a considerable fund on hand for its contemplated improvements.

We have just received a line of Children's Dress Shoes that would do you good to look at. They are dreams of beauty. Little patent kids with white calf tops, big white eyelets and ribbons to match. Come in and see them.

Philadelphia Shoe Store,
Near Courthouse Park.

matter omitted by the Associated Press, any one who has read the dispatches knows better. The facts stated in these paid dispatches were completely covered in the Associated Press dispatches of the same day—much more completely covered than they were in the paid dispatches. But the paid dispatches carefully cut out some facts and emphasized others, with the result that the total impression given was absolutely false. Only the publication in the same papers of the honest dispatches of the Associated Press prevented the policy-holders of the Mutual from being deceived, at their own expense, as to the facts of the investigation.

From the standpoint of the insurance companies, this expenditure of several thousand dollars of the policy holders' money for the purpose of hiring newspapers to deceive those policy-holders was of course straight stealing. Legitimate advertising, to increase the business of the company, is no doubt one of the legitimate expenses of an insurance company as of any business. But a considerable part of even the straight advertising of the companies has really been subsidy and blackmail. There is a whole flock of "insurance papers" in the country, fattening on the crumbs dropped from insurance companies' tables. Some of these papers are the property or the subsidized organ of some one company. Where the relation is not concealed, they may serve a useful purpose. Others are independent journals with a general circulation, seeking general advertising patronage. Some of these may have a circulation which makes publicity in their pages worth what it costs. Others make a practice of "roasting" the companies that do not advertise with them, and of "boosting" those that do. They are of course straight blackmailers, and the money paid them for advertising is bribery. A part, then, of the advertising appropriation of the companies is spent on business principles and a part in the promotion of crime. But this appropriation to falsify the telegraph news of daily papers, and deceive their policy holders at their own expense, is worse than even bribery. The use of it was criminal, and the defense of it as legitimate shows total moral obliquity.

From the standpoint of the newspapers, the case is scarcely better. The advertising columns of newspapers are for sale, for business announcements. The newspapers do not ordinarily inquire into the truthfulness of these announcements, so long as they are legitimate on their face and decently expressed. Sometimes a known fake or fraud will be excluded, but this is no guarantee that other fakes may not slip in unknown or ignored. But the news columns, and especially the telegraph columns, should be sacred. Space in the news columns for business statements may be for sale, but space anywhere to garble or falsify the news ought not to be for sale at any price. It has been the glory of the Associated Press that its news is incorruptible. It is not too much to say that the stability of American liberty depends on keeping it incorruptible. But if a fake "telegraph news bureau" may insert corruption among incorruption, the whole will be corrupted. This lesson should teach the papers of America to set their faces firmly against this new seductive but dangerous temptation.

Druids.
Umbert Grove of Druids held a formal business session last night. The grove will install officers the first meeting night in November and expects to have a visit from several grand officers at that time.
American Mechanics.
General George Washington Council, No. 49, Jr. O. U. A. M., met in regular session last evening with a good attendance. One application for membership was received. A social meeting will be held next Tuesday evening. The following committee has charge of the arrangements: C. E. Morris, Luther Gray, and F. L. Shalle. C. E. Morris, H. C. Hull and J. J. Gorman have been appointed a committee to confer with the labor organizations and other societies of this city for the purpose of having them adopt resolutions favoring the restriction of undesirable immigrants to this country.

DEATH OF ALONZO REESE
Had Run Away From Hospital Last Thursday.

Alonzo Reese, a man between 60 and 70 years of age, died yesterday afternoon of lung trouble at the lodging house over the Gilt Edge saloon. No physician had been attending him and he was cared for during the last few days by a chance friend named Monroe.

Little is known of Reese except that he had been at the county hospital and ran away from there last Thursday, taking a room at this lodging house. He complained of violent pains in his chest, but refused to be moved back to the hospital. He died about 4 o'clock in the evening.

Reese stated that he had at one time owned a farm near Fresno, and also that he had practiced medicine. He said he had daughters living near here, but they paid no attention to him.

The body was removed to the morgue, and an inquest will be held today.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Dr. J. Howard Taylor, a specialist in nervous diseases, died today, aged 80.

Does Your Heart Beat

Yes. 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. Ask your own doctor about taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for thin, impure blood. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Gas Advice

For Thrifty, Economical Housewives

Don't light the burners until ready to use. Don't neglect to turn the flame very low when the boiling point is reached.

Don't cook in a slow oven, allow it ten minutes to get warm.

Don't bake pies, pastry or layer cakes in a slow oven, have a hot fire and turn up all the burners.

FRESNO GAS CO.

Phone Main 36

Don't Forget the Bond Election next Tuesday, October 31st. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the measure for the Sewer Bonds and City Hall.

Mariposa Grocery Specials

California Cream Cheese	13¢
Comb Honey, 1 lb. frames	11¢
Bulk Pickles, qt.	20¢
Minnewawa Olive Oil, qt	85¢
Golden Gate Baking Powder	20¢

1119 to 1133 I St.	1119 to 1133 I St.
1801 to 1819 Mariposa St.	1801 to 1819 Mariposa St.

French Java Powder	35¢
French Ninetta Face Powder	9¢
French Perfume	50¢
Eastman's Perfumes	25¢
Mennen's Talcum Powder	15¢

Ninth of the Big Fall Feature Specials
Flannelette Underwear Sale Today

Promptly at 9 o'clock this morning we will place on sale:

75¢ Ladies' Flannelette Gowns 58¢ \$1.25 Ladies' Flannelette Skirts 98¢
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50¢ Ladies' Flannelette Drawers 38¢

GOOD MORNING!

Are you interested in the Big Voting Contest for the thirty-nine most popular school children in Fresno county?

Are you voting for your favorite? Costs nothing. Votes are given with every 10¢ purchase.

The first or grand prize is a pony, cart and harness. Besides there are five gold watches to be given to the highest in each Supervisorial district.

The vote as counted to Tuesday morning showed as follows:

Ellen Brown, Jefferson 5410
James Barstow, Fresno 4337

Margaret Kenyon, High 4180
Vera Peterson, Kroeger 3441

Eugene Bolton, Hawthorne 2793
Landis Weaver, Lowell 1753

Ruth Bissell, Easton 1632
Flossie Epperson, Madison 1422

Anne Mattei, Fowler 1313
Charles Detoy, Lowell 1250
Georgia Shipp 1063
Winford Chapman 980



Smart Street Hats Under-priced

The Big Store dictates the prices on millinery for this part of the Valley.

As long as we have been a moving spirit in the millinery field we have held prices down to the level of all other items of merchandise—prices for fine hats are today lower in the city of Fresno than any part of the West, and the Big Store stands as firm as Gibraltar in keeping you protected from the high prices usually asked for made-to-order hats.

Shoes for the Whole Family at the Family Shoe Store

TODAY'S SPECIALS IN LADIES' SHOES.

\$3.00 Patent Colt Welts \$3.50 Ladies' Bluchers \$2.98

\$2.48

Ladies' soft kid blucher, low Jumbo eyelets, extension edge, Cuban heels.

\$7.50 Dress Hats at \$5.95

French fur or novelty winged ed placques, shaped in the becoming styles by master creators; a dozen pretty styles to choose from.

Wednesday Business Bargains in Domestics

25¢ Scotch Flannel Waistings 18¢

All new patterns fresh from the looms, pretty, new stripes.

10¢ Sanitary Wash Cloths, 5¢

Very absorbent; a great stimulant for the skin.

15¢ German Eiderdown 12 1-2¢

The soft, fleeced Kimono Cloth that women always delight to wear.

4¢ House Lining, Yard 3¢

None to dealers and no phone orders accepted on this special—only a limited quantity to each customer.

25¢ Huck Towels 18¢

Large size, union towels, with fancy red borders; twenty dozen at this price.

15¢ Honey Comb Bed Spreads \$1.08

Three ply yarn used in the making; they are very durable and a size large enough for double beds.

14¢ Plaid Cotton Blankets, \$1.15

Used for robes, etc. They can be had as well in whites or greys, in extra sizes.

10¢ Plaid Woolen Blankets, \$1.15

Large size, union towels, with fancy red borders; twenty dozen at this price.

Charming New Laces

Today's express brought a beautiful new line of Persian trimming shades to match any color in dress goods 48¢ to \$5.00 yd. Lace Stock and Jabots

Dainty creations in pretty lace effects, spangled, collars, in a gorgeous line of colors; sweet and simple turnovers in laces and silks; 25¢ to \$5.00 each.

Silk and Lace Hose

Charming new ideas in lace and embroidered effects 50¢ to \$5.00 pair.

Coming Big \$4.95 Ladies' Sale for Thursday. See the Window.

SILK SPECIAL

\$1.50 Black Taffeta Silk \$1.38

\$1.00 Black Taffeta Silk 89¢

Both 36 inches wide.

MUSIC SPECIALS

25¢ I'll Be Waiting in the Gloaming 19¢

25¢ Keep a Cozy Corner in Your Heart for Me 19¢

Popular hits.



\$15 Empire and Fitted Coats \$12.35

TODAY'S BIG SPECIAL

Coming at a time when every one is thinking of procuring a winter coat, these twenty-two garments that go on sale today will bring out crowds of interested women.

25¢ Grey Walking Skirts \$3.68</p

In addition to carrying
A FULL LINE OF
MAGAZINES
On My Counter
I MAKE A SPECIALTY OF
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Any magazine published anywhere in any language on any subject furnished by the month or by the year.

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**JUST ARRIVED
1906 Rambler
TOURING CAR**

18 horse power, speed 5 to 30 miles per hour, price reduced to \$1380

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**REMEMBER
and
VOTE**

At the bond election Friday, October 31st; also remember the

**EMPORIUM FURNITURE
COMPANY**

is now doing business at the corner of J and Merced streets.

**Fine Whiskies,
Wines, Brandies
and Gins at
Lower Prices**

Bronge is selling the very best qualities of wines and liquors at from a third to a half less than similar qualities can be bought for elsewhere.

600 Best Sonoma Claret, gal. 40¢
\$1 Sherry XX, gal. 50¢
\$2 Sherry XXX, gal. \$1.40
\$1 Port XX, gal. 50¢
\$2 Port XXX, gal. \$1.20
\$1 Muscat XX, gal. 50¢
\$1 Anglica XX, gal. 60¢
\$2 Anglica XXX, gal. \$1.40
\$2 Tokay XXX, gal. \$1.40
\$1.60 Kentucky Bourbon Whiskey X, gal. \$1.40
\$2.00 Kentucky Bourbon Whiskey XX, gal. \$1.70
\$2.50 Kentucky Bourbon Whiskey XXX, gal. \$2.00
\$3.00 Golden Crescent Whiskey, gal. \$2.50
\$4 Del Monte Bourbon Whiskey, gal. \$3.10
\$5 Heritage Bourbon Whiskey, gal. \$3.60
\$6 Old Crow Bourbon Whiskey, gal. \$3.80
\$5.50 Guckenheimer Rye, gal. \$4.00
\$3 Holland Gin, No. 2, gal. \$2.50
\$4 Cal. Grapes Brandy, No. 3, gal. \$1.80
\$3 Cal. Grapes Brandy, No. 2, gal. \$1.25
\$4 Cal. Grapes Brandy, No. 1, gal. \$1.50
\$3 White Rye, No. 1, gal. \$2.50
\$3 Jamaica Rum, No. 1, gal. \$2.50
\$6 Finest Scotch Whiskey, gal. \$4.20
\$2.50 Blackberry Brandy, No. 1, gal. \$1.50

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1115 I Street Phone Main 536
Free Delivery.

NEWS NOTES OF MADERA

A Successful Experimental Farm.

Valley Association Will Meet Here on the 1st Prox.—

Personal Mention.

MADERA, Oct. 24.—About 200 acres on the Pope & Talbot tract has been set apart for the purpose of experimenting along agricultural lines. This ranch is under the supervision of J. C. Straube, local manager for the company, who has styled it the "Rattlesnake Ranch" as a few years ago there was little else but rattlesnakes on the place. A ten acre orchard of two years growth contains many varieties of fruits selected with the view of ascertaining the varieties best adapted to this section. A ten-acre Smyrna fig orchard is another thriving feature. Other lands for the testing of grain, alfalfa and garden truck work a beautiful transformation in what was a rather desolate ranch. It is an illustration of the results obtained from the judicious application of water to the soil, and good farming.

An immense egg plant weighing nearly seven pounds now on exhibition was grown on the "Rattlesnake Ranch." Everything grown on the ranch is strikingly illustrative of its fertility. The largest watermelons, cauliflower, egg plants, in fact every known vegetable is exceedingly thrifty on this ranch. Mr. Straube says he has experienced failure in but one product—the sugar beet—and that was due to the fondness of the meadow lark for the plants just as they were thrusting their tops through the soil.

The water to irrigate is obtained from a well by using a six-inch pump, and a 15-horse power engine. In this manner three to four acres can be irrigated in twelve weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dyer leave in a few days for Oakland. As a farewell the ladies of the Baptist church gave them a surprise party last night. About

sixty-five members of the congregation were present and passed the evening pleasantly with music and games. Excellent refreshments were partaken of.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer have been active workers in the church, and their departure will be missed. They were presented with a silver set of knives, forks and spoons as a token of esteem.

R. Roberts, president of the San Joaquin Valley Association, has called a meeting of the association to be held in Fresno on November 1st. Mr. Roberts was appointed as the representative of the Madera Board of Trade at a convention of the Boards of Trade of this valley to be held at Fresno on the same date.

G. G. Parsons was here today from Fresno.

Mrs. O. E. Bronson went to Fresno today.

T. M. Duncan returned from Fresno today.

A. F. Purdy of Fresno visited Madera today.

Mrs. Myrtle Downing returned from the Raisin Center today.

Dr. J. T. Gardner returned from Fresno today.

C. C. Sibley came up from Fresno this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Remaden of Grub Gulch were here today on their way to Fresno.

Mark Hutchinson, the manager-circulator of the Republican, is here today on business.

Miss Myrtle Downing returned from a visit to Fresno this morning.

J. M. Craig and wife of Creston, Nebraska, are visiting C. J. Hall and family.

Fred Bareroff and A. E. Preciado returned today from a business trip to Fresno.

Both Mann and wife, who have been visiting relatives at the Daulton ranch, left for Oakland today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Amaro returned last night from a two weeks' trip to Stockton and San Francisco.

W. Buechman, an old-time Mariposan, came here today from Stockton on his way to Death Valley.

E. M. Cox and T. C. Yauch went to Jones' Store today to bring back an auto which broke down there.

Mrs. C. Saxe and daughter, Miss Madeline, who have been visiting here and at the Daulton ranch, left this evening for Fresno.

Mrs. Joe Valenzuela, who went to Fresno last evening, submitted to a delicate operation at the sanitarium this morning, and is in a serious condition.

Miss Ada Louisa Holm of Petaluma, is to wed Frederick H. Weber in San Francisco on November 5th. The bride to be is a sister of James Holm, of Madera.

L. W. Krohn, a vineyardist of Modesto, formerly tax collector of this

Saved His Life.

J. W. Davernport, Wino, Ky., writes June 14, 1902: "I want to tell you I believe Ballard's Snow Liniment saved my life. I was under the treatment of two doctors and they told me one of my lungs was entirely gone, and the other badly affected. I took a bad a lump on my side. I don't think that could have lived over two months longer. I was induced by a friend to try Ballard's Snow Liniment. The first application gave me great relief: two fifty cent bottles cured me sound and well. It is a wonderful medicine and I recommend it to suffering humanity. Geo. H. Monroe, Special Agent."

Bobby Boyle and the George girls, assisted by Stanifield are doing a very clever little comedy sketch entitled "The Gay Lord Smith." The little skit is really one of the best things in its line that have appeared here in a long time, and in the opinion of every one who has seen it, is well worth the price of admission.

Katherine, the wonderful contortionist, is appearing in another great act. She outclasses any of the contortionists that have visited Fresno this season.

Miss Cora Hoen is singing new descriptive songs, and the latest moving picture novelties are shown at the conclusion of each performance.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Recorded October 24, 1905.)

Fresno National Bank to Eunice M. Kemalyan, lots 12 and 13, block 205, Parkhurst's addition; \$10.

Adam Roder to Emma L. Norfolk, lots 18 and 19, block 2, Gladys addition, Fresno; \$5.

N. B. Norfolk to Adam Roder, same;

Asa M. Johnson et al, trustees, to Ellen M. Fleming; \$12, sw 1/4, nw 1/4, sec 4, t 13 s, r 21 e; \$1.

Shepherd-Teague Co. to John Lawlor et ux, lot 2, Garfield Park colony; \$10.

Frank Ranshaw to A. H. Jensen, \$12, sw 1/4, ne 1/4, sec 2, t 15 s, r 23 e; \$10.

W. N. Rohrer et ux to H. H. Backer et al, lots 44 to 47, plat A, Mount Campbell Orange tract; \$10.

London, Paris and American Bank, to N. W. Rohrer, same and w 1/2, sw 1/4, sec 38 t 14 s, r 23 e; \$10.

J. Q. Anderson et ux to John P. M. Hjort, lots 1 and 2, block 10, Belmont addition, Fresno; \$10.

A DAYLIGHT TRIP.

Through San Joaquin Valley in Parlor Cars.

Travelers on the Southern Pacific may now see the great San Joaquin valley by daylight while riding through it in comfortable parlor cars. These new and finely furnished cars are carried on train No. 84, the Bakersfield Passenger, which leaves San Francisco daily at 8:30 a.m., arriving at Bakersfield 6:05 p.m. and on train 83, leaving Bakersfield 7:30 a.m. and arriving at San Francisco 4:30 p.m.

These cars have large windows and easy cushions, and the daylight trip enables the traveler to see all the great valley.

Ask your friends if they ever heard of a Fresno Business College Graduate being out of a job.

Now is the time to begin.

FRESNO BUSINESS COLLEGE.

No Chills, No Fever.

After taking three doses of S. B. Fever and Ague cure. Never fails to cure the worst cases. Only at Smith Bros' Drug Store.

We employ the only lady optometrist in the valley.

WEISER OPTICAL COMPANY,
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PHONE MAIN 1632.

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT."

If you notice that when reading you must hold your paper at a certain distance and have the light in a certain position, then your eyes are failing. Don't neglect these first symptoms. Eight glasses will relieve and help your eyes. We fit glasses just right. Examination Free.

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J. B. Myers, insurance, 1944 Tulare, with Miss Colmore. Call and see me.

PEOPLES' WOOD YARD

Pine Blocks for sale..... \$3 per load

Corner Mono and F Streets.
Phone Main 558.

A. S. CLEARY, Secretary.

Office-Room 8, 109 California Street, San Francisco, California.

W. I. Kilby, news agency.

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NEW VACATION TRIP

Summer Excursion Rates.

Effective May 1st, the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe lines will sell round trip through tickets to points on the Scenic North Shore at reduced rates. Fresno to Camp Taylor and return, \$9.05; Pt. Reyes, \$9.40; Camp Meeker, Monte Rio and the Russian River, \$10.90; Duncan's Mills, \$11.30; Cazadero Big Trees, \$11.65. Cottage and camp sites, hotels, boarding houses and Mineral springs, hunting, fishing and camping trips to the North Coast. Full information in illustrated folders, "Summer Outings," free on application to local ticket agent or by mail to Geo. W. Heintz, Mutual Life Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Important Notice.

Many people in Fresno work one whole day for \$1; a dollar saved is a dollar made. You can make this \$1 if you walk just two blocks to Foy & Sons, corner J and Merced, and get the celebrated Star Triumph Steel Range or Heating Stoves, Hardware and Plumbing. Bear this in mind.

Art Pictures.

Artistically framed, on special sale Wednesday morning, at D. H. Williams' Furniture Store. See display in window.

The Equitable Securities Co. of Los Angeles, will loan you money on city property. See Pearson's Exchange, the local agents; next to P. O.

S. E. Lung Tonic.

The best remedy for coughs, colds and heat-aches and always gives satisfaction. Only at Smith Bros' Drug Store.

Crescent Stables, cor. I and Inyo. Main 482. First-class rigs. Reasonable.

Keep the rain out. Use Plastic Roofing. H. H. Meyer, 1610 I street.

J. M. Collier Co., 1823 Tulare street, Real Estate and Fire Insurance.

Dr. Peter, Dentist, 1033 I street. Open Sundays, 9 to 4. Phone Main 423.

Dr. Aten, Dentist, 108-B Forsyth bldg.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—Situation, as foreman on a vineyard, or orchard, by a man who has had twelve years experience in Fresno county, and can give good references. Address P. O. Box 1238, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—Position as cook or waitress, by Japanese woman. Apply 1063 K street, Fresno.

WANTED—Position by experienced foreman, stock and farmer. Best reference, P. Bell, 1255 L street.

WANTED—By two middle aged ladies, as cook in hotel. Apply at Howard House.

WANTED—By a good Japanese boy, position as milker. Japanese M. E. Mission. Phone Main 1274; 1250 Tulare street.

WANTED—Stenographer with seven years' experience, in general office work, desires position. Address Box 550, Fresno Republican office.

WANTED—Work in city by handy, strong man. Address M., Box 2, this office.

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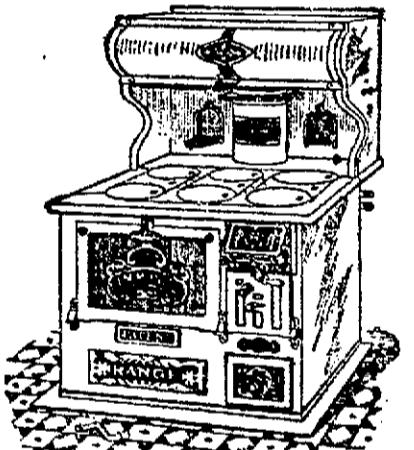
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CONVENTION IS CLOSED

W. C. T. U. Women Leave for Los Angeles.

Mrs. M. B. Pelton of Selma Reads Paper on "The Divine Whisper."

The delegates to the state convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union closed their work with a rush yesterday and today most of them are on their way to the city of the south where the national convention is to be held. Many left on the Owl last night, the rest will start today and this evening.

Most of the day was occupied with business. In the morning, reports were received from organizers and superintendents, who made a good showing in their various departments. Ten life memberships were granted by the convention on the usual payment, and in token of her services, Mrs. Renoden-Bailey was presented with such a membership by the convention.

Convention Resolutions.

The committee on resolutions, composed of Mesdames M. H. Cartwright, M. B. Pelton and A. E. U. Hillis, reported late in the afternoon.

The resolutions dealt in succession with: The evangelistic work of the union; the teaching of purity; the evils of militarism; the good work of the Loyal Temperance Legion; the needs of laboring men; child labor laws; temperance departments in all Sunday schools, and other subjects as follows:

"Resolved that as causes are more important than results, we will seek the ballot so as to reach causes."

"Resolved. That we gratefully acknowledge the good work accomplished by the national department of purity, in literature and art in calling attention to the mass of corrupt publications, obscene pictures, patent medicines, get-rich-quick schemes and so on, and in securing legislation which gives the postmaster-general the power to exclude all such from the mails; while we appreciate the motives of the publishers who have announced the exclusion of all liquor and patent medicines from their columns, we deplore the fact that their pages teem with wine, whisky, beer and tobacco heroes and heroines, with such noble traits in other respects as to command all they do to the immature."

"Resolved, That we deeply appreciate the great kindness and courtesy extended to this convention by the people of Fresno; for the cordial welcome from the city through the mayor; for the welcome, reception and trolley ride tendered by the Chamber of Commerce; for the courtesies of the enterprising press of Fresno; to the musicians who have added such a charm to all the sessions; to the untiring committee on courtesies; the local and county unions, and all those who have opened their homes to us and made us welcome; for the generous subscription of the county through its supervisors of \$100; and for the donation of grape juice by the Sanitarium Food company; and last, but by no means least, to the Y. M. C. A. Board of Directors, who so magnanimously tendered this beautiful hall for the use of the convention."

Afternoon Session.

Floyd Starr, president of the Michigan Loyal Temperance Legion, addressed the convention in the afternoon at the beginning of the discussion of the question, "Why Is It the Duty of the W. C. T. U. to Establish Loyal Temperance Legions?" A platform exercise, "A School in Non-Alcohol Medication," was presented by half a dozen ladies and brought out a great many points on the needlessness of alcohol in healing sickness. A number of state banners were presented to the counties that had done the principal work in various departments.

The principal paper of the afternoon was that read by Mrs. Margaret B. Pelton of Selma. Mrs. Pelton is president of the county union, and goes tonight to Los Angeles as one of the eight delegates from this state to the national convention. Her paper was attentively listened to and was as follows:

The Divine Whisper of Today.

"To cure is the voice of the past; to prevent the divine whisper of today." The memory of even a younger woman will recall the time when the entire weight of reform was directed toward the attention of congress, was called to the floods of indecent literature and pictures passing through the mail and of the patent medicine advertisements, etc., in our papers that were not calculated to be a moral uplift, so bills were passed and authority given to the postmaster general to exclude all such from the mails. Keep your eyes open and send samples of any such things you see to the postmaster general and he will order its exclusion from the mails; if we wait for someone else to do it, it may never be done, so be alert, Watch as well as pray."

"Sisters, Comrades, Gods, Mothers, do you realize this benediction? If God needs us in the creation of these little immortals, how much more does he need us to train them up in purity and truth. Listen for the divine whisper and then follow, where He leads."

"Let us begin at home and so fill the young mind with all good and noble aspirations that there will be no room for the vile."

"Yes, the husbandman sowed good seed but while he slept an enemy sowed tares. The answer is, we must not sleep. Eternal vigilance is the price of purity. The enemy is always at hand and the tares in plentiful supply. Do not think that you can guard your own and neglect your neighbor's children. One vile child can corrupt an entire school or neighborhood. We stand or fall together. There are no immunes in this war but with diligent cooperation with our school boards and teachers, a friendly and loving solicitude for mothers and children; and above all a plentiful and constant distribution of our best literature everywhere, we may hope for some degree of success, and if we would add to this the picture branch and send a case of pictures with each traveling library. If we could hang a picture of Frances Willard in every schoolroom, a copy of Hoffman's Christ in our prison cells we would thus silently and powerfully appeal to many whom we could reach in no other way."

"And last, let us—if we would indeed be God's Mothers, stand for juvenile courts, where the children and youth who have turned into the evil way, may be turned back into pure and healthful channels. The large percentage of young offenders who develop into pronounced criminals through association with the worst element in our jails and prisons is simply appalling."

"Is there anything more precious than this little child in our midst, with his lovely winsome ways, his helplessness, his innocence, his suggestiveness—what seed can we sow in this virgin soil? Like a beautiful lily growing out of a noxious, pestilent pool, we hesitate to try to reach it lest by stirring the wa-

ters the purity of the lovely flower should be forever destroyed. One of our eminent statesmen has said and proven the fact by statistics, that we stand today first among the nations of Christendom in the proportion of higher crimes and the infrequency of their punishment; and that the ratio of crimes exceeds the ratio of increase of population. A noted educator said, "We are to know more and more that if we would have pure government we must have pure laws—if we would have pure laws we must have pure men to make these laws. "If we desire a nation of pure men and women we must have pure girls and boys. If we expect our children to lead pure and beautiful lives, if we would have them think pure thoughts, do beautiful deeds, we must surround them with pure and beautiful influences in our schools and in our homes."

"Said a mother to her son as he went out from home into the life of the world, "Though you travel the world over to find the beautiful, unless you carry it with you, you will find it not." An old woodsman said, "If I am to raise trees fit for mast, I must begin with the seed."

"Education is a growth from within, outward. Cardinal Newman says of education: "It aims at cultivating the public mind—at purifying the national taste—at refining the intercourse of private life."

"Education is development; strengthening and vivifying every element of a child's life; physical, mental, moral and spiritual."

"But while we are so advanced as a nation in equipment for educating the young, there is with us an insidious power, a movement well planned to destroy the very foundation of all character building. Vile papers and books are circulated among the pupils of our public schools, indecent pictures are flaunted in their faces from every billboard they pass, and what is worse, our postal laws discriminate in favor of this vile literature by taking yearly at one cent a pound, nearly forty million pounds of books like "Manhattan Mike and the Bowery Blood" and by charging eight times as much for transporting school books, Bibles and literary works."

"Fathers and mothers ought to know the awful dangers to which the children are exposed. The whole business should be branded as an emanation from the pit, monstrous and infernal."

"The most insidious source of tares today are our popular novelists and story writers. A farce that is monthly played before the large audience of the W. C. T. U. convention. The senior gymnasium class will meet tonight and a large attendance is desired, as Physical Director Fee has a few remarks to make in regard to the association work."

The Searchlight Bible class will meet at 6:30 o'clock as usual. The members will have lunch prepared for them at 6 o'clock. The study is very interesting and the membership increases rapidly. F. N. Miner, the popular teacher, will conduct the class. Mr. Miner has made many friends among the members and deserves the increasing interest which is being taken in his work.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson of Oleander was hostess yesterday at a most delightful luncheon given in honor of Mrs. Stephen Scott, a visitor from Michigan and a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Mum of this city. The luncheon table and dining room decorations were in pink oleanders and the reception room in violet. At table with the hostess were Mrs. Scott, Mrs. E. F. Barrows, Mrs. Ronald Harris, Mrs. Mum, Mrs. Lovell, Mrs. Hewitt, Mrs. Willard Brooks and Mrs. Leonard Church.

Miss Dolly Tarpey and her aunt, Mrs. Cleary, who have been visitors at the Tarpey ranch, left for San Francisco yesterday morning.

Mrs. Mabel Gray Lachmund is expected on Friday for a week-end visit with her mother, Mrs. John D. Gray, who leaves early next week for a winter in New York.

The Oleander Study club will meet this week with Mrs. A. J. Rudy.

The Friday Card club will be entertained this week by Mrs. Willis Pike.

The literary department of the Parlor Lecture club assembled for the first meeting of the season yesterday and began their year's work, which will consist of varied programs on various subjects of popular interest. Yesterday the members discussed the life and work of William Morris in whose career interest was awakened by the recent lecture of Miss Anna Scutsky. The department meets fortnightly.

The men of the Unitarian church have engaged Kohler hall for Thursday evening of this week and have invited the ladies of the church and all of their friends to be present. The young people and their friends are also invited. A novel entertainment has been arranged by the gentlemen and the ladies are to respond by providing refreshments. Everything will be free and a very cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the church. That the evening will be full of surprises is judged from the mysteries hinted at by the entertainment committee.

Mrs. George Maul is expected today from Kewanee, Ill., to join her husband, who accompanied his brother-in-law, O. L. Everts, home from the East some weeks ago. They intend to make their home in Fresno.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. at its regular monthly meeting decided to give a handkerchief bazaar on the evening of December 1st in the association rooms, the proceeds from the sale to go toward the building fund of the association. Social features will be a part of the evening's entertainment and also refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Everts are expecting a visit from Mrs. D. E. Kenner, wife of a prominent Philadelphia physician, and a former classmate of Mr. and Mrs. Everts in Kewanee, Ill. Mrs. Kenner is said to be an eloquent of ability and if her brief visit permits there will be some entertaining in the Everts

home in Fresno.

There will be a happy double wedding this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Babcock, No. 824 N street, when H. G. Butler of the Republican composing room weds Miss Myrtle Kennedy of Columbus, O., and R. D. Hastings, one of the linotype operators, takes for his bride Miss Gertrude Graham, also of Columbus. The prospective brides arrived from the East last

night. The young men have been in Fresno for the past six months and during that time have been in the Republican's employ, and are bright and capable. They were former residents of Columbus and it was there that the double romance began which is to culminate in tonight's wedding service.

LOCAL MARKETS

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Limes—15¢ per dozen.
Apples—5¢ per lb.
Pomegranates—4¢ lb.
Grapes—4¢ lb.
Lemons—20¢ per doz.
Bananas—30¢ per doz.
Persimmons—5¢ per lb.
Cantelope—10¢ cent.
Potatoes—1½¢ per lb.
Sweet Potatoes—2¢ lb.
String Beans—2 lbs. 15¢.
Green Peas—10¢ per pound.
Tomatoes—6¢ per lb.
Radishes—2 bunches 5¢.
Artichokes—2 for 15¢.
Cabbage—2¢ lb.
Cauliflower—10¢ a head.
Cashaw—10¢ and 15¢ each.
Okra—10¢ per lb.
Eggplant—2 for 5¢.
Spinach—2½¢ per bunch.
Horse Radish—6¢ per lb.
Onions—3¢ per lb.
Parsnips—2½¢ per bunch.
Beets—2½¢ per bunch.
Lettuce—2 1/2¢ per head.
Carrots—2 1/2¢ per bunch.
Cucumbers—2¢ per doz.
Lima Beans—7½¢ per lb.
Kale—20¢ per lb.
Dates—15¢ per pound.

POULTRY

Chickens—Broilers, \$3.50@\$4 per doz.
Chickens—Fryers, \$4.50@\$5.50 per doz.

GRAIN

Wheat—\$1.80 and \$1.75.
Barley—\$3@\$3.50; \$2.25 ton.
Corn—\$2.

Rye—\$1.35@\$1.45.

Egyptian Corn—\$1.60 per 100.

MILLSTONES

Fresco Flour—\$1.35@\$1.40.
Kaweah Flour—\$1.40.
Stockton Flour—\$1.40.
Crown Flour—\$1.45.

MIDDLEDINGS

Bran—\$8 per sack; \$26 per ton.
Barley—\$8c.

WHEAT

Wheat—\$2.40 per sack; \$4@\$8c.

CEREALS

Corn meal—35¢ per 10-lb. sack.

GRAHAM MEAL

Graham meal—35¢ per 10-lb. sack.

WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR

Whole wheat flour—35¢ per 10-lb. sack.

CRACKED WHEAT

Cracked wheat—35¢ per 10-lb. sack.

OAT MEAL

Oat meal—40¢ per 10-lb. sack.

RYE MEAL

Rye meal—35¢ per 10-lb. sack.

CRACKED HOMINY

Cracked hominy—5¢, large or small.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Creamery—75¢ per roll.

DAIRY

Dairy—5¢ per roll.

EGGS

Eggs—35¢ per dozen.

FRESH MEATS

Beef Steak—10@18¢; roast 10@15¢.

MUTTON

Mutton—8@15¢ per lb.

LAMB

Lamb—12½¢@20¢.

VEAL

Veal—10@20¢.

LARD

Lard—15¢ per pound.

DRESSED STOCK

Steaks—5¢ per pound.

COW

Cow—4½¢.

VEAL

Veal—7@8¢ per pound.

MUTTON

Mutton—7¢ per pound.

ATTRACTS AT THE BARTON

S. N. GRIFFITH
DISLIKES SMOKE

And County Employee Says He Doesn't Give a "damn" if He Smokes.

S. N. Griffith does not like being smoked. Cigar smoke is not the kind through the improper feeding of the oil smoke. His objections are centered in the pumping plant of the county situated in the courthouse grounds directly opposite Griffith's residence on Main street. His objections are voiced in a letter to the Board of Supervisors as follows:

"Gentlemen, I beg to inform you that through the improper feeding of the oil through the burner in the engine house that large quantities of heavy smoke and particles of oil are carried through the smoke stack, which through all last year seriously damaged my residence both inside and outside. This year I have frequently noticed the same thing and have called the attention of your Mr. Smart to this unreasonable damage to my property, which is all caused through carelessness."

"I told Mr. Smart this morning that if this thing continued I would sue the town, to which he replied that he didn't give a damn."

"As this matter is wholly under the control of the Board of Supervisors I am certain that it is only necessary for me to call attention to these facts to have the matter remedied at once."

"Sincerely yours,

S. N. GRIFFITH.

German Imperial Bank.

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—President Koch, of the Imperial bank, replying to an inquiry today, said the international money situation is not satisfactory.

There is no likelihood of the rate of discount of the Imperial bank being raised as the bank's situation is favorable.

Alluding to the Japanese balances in Germany, President Koch said Japan is in no way bound to leave her

need was felt as a German steamer from Hongkong had arrived two days after the storm and provided necessary stores and medicines.

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NEWS NOTES
FROM GUAM

Severe Storms Made Havoc in Saipan Isle.

Commission Will Revise and Codify Laws of That Far-Away Possession.

AGANA, Guam, Sept. 27, via San Francisco, Oct. 24.—A severe typhoon prevailed from the 26th to the 29th of last month in this vicinity. No damage was done on this island, but on the 4th of September a Japanese schooner arrived in the port of Apra dismantled and much damaged, reporting that in the neighborhood of Saipan the gale had been particularly severe.

Governor Dyer then dispatched the station ship Supply with medical and other stores to the relief of that island and cabled to Governor Sampson of Yap, who immediately went to the assistance of the people. It was found on his arrival at Saipan that, while the damage done was extensive, no immediate need was felt as a German steamer from Hongkong had arrived two days after the storm and provided necessary stores and medicines.

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EASTERN STAR ON EXCURSION.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 24.—More than ninety members of the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, which met in Los Angeles last week, are in this city today, the guests of the local lodge. The day was spent in automobile about the city and a trip to Mexico. Most of the visitors will be here for a few days.

Eastern Temperatures.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York, 58°; Philadelphia, Chicago, 48°; Boston, Washington, 46°; Minneapolis and Cincinnati, 32°; St. Louis, 50°.

Sandwiches For the School Luncheon

EGG SANDWICHES.—Molten the yolks of hard boiled eggs with olive oil and a few drops of vinegar and pound to a powder. Make into a paste and add a little salt and pepper. Chop the whites of the eggs as fine as possible and mix them with the yolks. Spread the paste on thin slices of brown or white bread.

Peanut Sandwiches.—Roll freshly roasted peanuts to fine crumbs. Salt to taste and mix the powdered nuts with enough cream cheese to make a paste to spread on the bread.

Beef Sandwiches.—Chop rare cold roast beef very fine. Season it with salt and pepper and make into sandwiches with thin slices of graham bread.

Sardine Sandwiches.—Take the backbone out of the required number of sardines and rub them to a smooth paste with a little butter and lemon juice and spread between thin slices of brown bread.

Tongue Sandwiches.—Butter slices of white bread with a dressing made of one part mustard and five parts butter seasoned with salt and pepper. Lay between the bread thin slices of tongue.

Cheese and Nut Sandwiches.—Pour equal proportions of grated cheese and chopped English walnuts to a paste and moisten with thick cream. Season and spread between thin slices of bread.

GRACE GRISCOM.

Housekeeping In Russia.

An Englishwoman residing in the interior of Russia thus describes her housekeeping experiences: "As 'small' sugar is unobtainable on the steppes, one is obliged to break up a huge two pound or three pound lump into pieces and crush in a pestle and mortar.

"I believe that churms may be procured in big towns, but they would be very expensive, and the English residents in country villages, who do not care for the smoke flavored Cossack butter, make their own by shaking cream in a big bottle. The Cossack servants are capital laundry women, though their washing appliances are somewhat primitive. They use large, low wooden troughs to wash the clothes in and boil them in open boilers. The system of mangling is rather curious.

"First, they wrap the things carefully around a wooden roller, like a pastry pin, then press it up and down a board scored with nicks, loosely laid on the table.

To Make Feet Small.

To lessen the apparent size of big feet either wear spats or (and this is better) have part of the uppers made of light cloth.

In roasting by any kind of closed range great care must be taken to have the ovens clean. If any fat, etc., from former cooking is allowed to remain it will impregnate the meat with an odor and taste which is most unpleasant.

"A roast by gas the same rules apply, and it is most important that the cooking should proceed slowly. The meat requires no basting or other attention until it is done.

regarded as an inferior, but recognized as man's equal, has no right to be excluded from the German citizen's duties, one of the chief of which is serving in the army.

Elbow sleeves are coming in for everything but the more workaday styles of dress.

Mrs. Ada Barton Bogg is filling her second term as president of the Illinois Woman's Press association.

King Leopold of Belgium has consented on Mrs. Ellen M. Henrion of Chicago, the order of the Knights of Leopold.

ALLHALLOWEN, that intensely interesting and quaint festival, is almost upon us. "What shall we do by way of testing fate that we haven't done shrouds of time before?" is the question asked by lots of girls at the present moment—girls who feel that to let this portentous eve pass unnoticed would indeed be like tempting Providence.

Of course one is obliged to create novelty merely by ringing the changes on the old love potions and conjurations that have worked "for weal or for woe" for many generations. But like old wine, old books and old friends, they are the best after all. It is rather in the decorations of the room where the spirits of div

The bond issue should carry. The future welfare of the city demands these public improvements. The money to be expended will all be spent among citizens of Fresno. The payments of the bonds extend over a period of 40 years. Fresno must have adequate sewers and good public buildings. Vote for the bonds.



It is beyond question the biggest single purchases of silks ever made by any store in Central California. There are silks enough in this sale to keep every store in town supplied for several seasons. We shall name prices Friday that many merchants would be glad to pay. It was the immensity of the purchase that brought the prices down. You may be sure that any store willing to take 5000 yards of silks in one purchase and at one delivery will receive respectful attention. See the window display; you can gain a good idea of the splendid silks we shall offer Friday.

Winter Flannels Specially Priced Today

We have arranged a sale of flannels that will appeal to economical women. It comes just at the right time; just when comfortable covers, children's dresses, house gowns and other warm things are needed. Prices like these, when yoked to worthy goods, should command your respectful attention. Miss this sale today and you will miss bargains you can not get later on.

10c OUTING FLANNEL, 6c 12½c FLEECED FLANNELS, 9c 15c GERMAN EIDERDOWN, 11c

They are to be had in mill end lengths only; 10 to 20 yards in a piece and we can not cut the pieces; plenty of different lengths however to choose from; soft-hashed; light colors only.

12½c TEAZLEDOWNS, 9c

The name is a guarantee of goodness; a fine outing flannel; thick nap; soft finish; comes in stripes; plaids; checks; light or medium colors.

DAISY OUTING FLANNEL, 10c

It always sells at 12½c a yard; comes in plain colors, pinks, blues, creams, white, reds; one of the best looking and most serviceable of all the tennis family.

Dressing Jackets, Kimonos, Wrappers, Children's Dresses Among the Special Features of the day

You will find our women's garment store full of price surprises. We are out-valuing every other store in town; showing an equal if not better assortment of goods and pricing them almost a third less. There is everything in your favor here; one price; plain figures; big assortments; new goods; courteous treatment and less to pay. Isn't such advantage a worth investigating?

FLANNELETTE KIMONOS Made of very pretty fleeced materials; bronze, blue, pink or light gray; tight or loose back; fancy collar; high neck and braid trimmings; kimono worth \$1; today 65c

FLEECED WRAPPERS Made of a very good grade of Vicuna cloth; full plaited back; 12 inch flounced skirt; fancy collar; full sleeves; braid trimmings; special for 31.50

GIRLS' DRESSES Very handsomely made of cheviots; dark grounds relieved with colored threads; full sleeves; dressed nicely; trimmed with red soutache braid and silk buttons; cuffs and collar front to match; dresses that can not be made for less than \$1; on sale for 33.45

PLAID DRESSES For children; French style; wool mixtures; waists nicely lined; skirts with a deep hem; checked or striped patterns; special for \$1.50

SAMPLE SHAWLS VERY CHEAP 50c SHAMS—SCARFS, 29c

White pillow shams and bureau scarfs; in a good variety of patterns and unusually low in price; cut out speciel work; cord embroidered.

PATENT LEATHER BELTS, 25c

New two piece belts; leather lined; looks, style and goodness they equal many of the belts sold at 40c and 50c in other places.

SILK GLOVES, 75c

The regular \$1 grade; very long and fine; 10 and 12 buttons; Milanese silk; black or white.

Grocery Specials

Fresh Doughnuts, dozen 10c Fancy Coast Butter, 1½ lbs. 45c Graham Flour, 10 lb. sack 26c Hydro Coffee, lb. 20c Japan Tea, tea grade 45c Broken Rice, 6 lbs. 25c Magic Yeast, pkg. 3c Rumford's Baking Powder, can 25c Ginger, Pepper, Allspice, Clove, Mustard or Sage, 2 cans 15c Whole Nutmegs, 10 for 5c Sour Pickles, qt. 10c

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Redlick's

The Chamber of Commerce has Enclosed the City Hall and Sewer Bonds—be sure to vote Tuesday, October 31st."

Idaho Land Frauds Trial. MOSCOW, Idaho, Oct 24.—The grand jury was instructed by Judge Beatty today. When court convened W. F. Kettunen, C. H. Kester, W. Dyer and Jackson O'Keefe, under indictment for land frauds, entered pleas of not guilty and asked that a date be set for trial. The government objected. This point is to be taken up tomorrow.

There is only one Mastic Roofing Co. See H. H. Meyer, 1610 I street.

Farm wagons at cost. Lyons-Boles Co.

This handsome Extension Table Only \$12

And it's a table, too, you'll be proud of. It has that richness and elegance that is usually found in higher priced tables.

It's made of solid oak, has a beautiful polish oak finish; can be lengthened six feet and has five fancy turned legs.

W. Parker Lyon
THE FURNITURE KING
1132-1140 I Street.

\$1.00 ALARM CLOCKS, 70c Good alarm clocks, splendid time-keepers. Special for one week 70c each. See the window.

H. B. OBERLIN
PROGRESSIVE JEWELER
1119 J Street. Flake Block.

Ball Promoters Disappear.

There will be no railroad men's ball tonight at Armory hall. The promoters of the ball have disappeared and have taken the fifty cent pieces of a large number of persons with them. The two men in question contracted with Manager Barton for the use of Armory hall for music and with Longwell for tickets. They took away 500 tickets without paying for them and sold many of them. Both men have disappeared.

EFFECT OF RAISIN CUT

Directors Expect to Make a Clean-Up.

Rebate on Goods Already Sold

—Outsiders Meet the Cut.

The directors of the Raisin Growers' Company expect to make a clean-up tomorrow evening, the time set for confirmation of the reduced prices on seeded and seedless. The prices were made with the understanding that a large block of raisins would be sold. The Growers' Company hopes by the cut to close out all the goods on hand. Such a coup was accomplished in 1902, one of the most successful years of associated effort. The question now presented itself is whether the packers composing the Mercantile Company, will take upon their own responsibility enough raisins to clean the boards even if the present trade orders do not cover all the raisins.

One prominent packer yesterday said "No" to this suggestion. He declared the packers would merely submit the orders they had received from the trade. If the orders are not sufficient to justify the cut, suggested the same packer, the growers' directors will find themselves in a peculiar position. Having shown a willingness to cut, the jobbers would not look at raisins at the old figure. So that while the cut is nominally conditional, practically it seems irrevocable.

It was too early yesterday to notice the effect on the coast. Today, though, the wires will begin to tingle with orders, it is confidently believed. The reduction was not made without a fighter on the Eastern pulse. Three or four days ago the packers wired their Eastern brokers to inquire whether a reduction of a cent a pound would move raisins. The unanimous reply was that it would. Now, it seems up to the brokers to make good. It is also reported that if the reduction takes effect a rebate will be made on the goods already sold. While the price was not guaranteed, it is argued that good faith with the trade would dictate the pull-back. The amount of the rebate is estimated at between \$10,000 and \$80,000.

The effect of the cut was noticeable on the outsiders. Outside packers having goods in transit had to meet the cut upon them, and the price for outside raisins dropped to 3½ cents. The situation is that there are more goods than buyers. The outsiders have about all the goods they want and the insiders can't buy outside raisins. There is talk of the inside packers getting "special dispensation" to gather in all the goods on the outside and thus steady the market.

The greater part of the raisins signed to the growers' company have been delivered, but there are some notable exceptions. Three men who took a leading part in the organization of the company have not yet delivered a pound of raisins. These are M. Theo. Kearney, Colonel William Forsyth and Dr. Meux. Several growers who undertook to sell their raisins outside the combine have been promptly sued, but the big growers named are simply holding their goods. There is no time limit for deliveries and the company apparently has nothing to do but wait.

The joke in raisin circles last evening was afforded by interviews with M. Theo. Kearney in the New York commercial papers of Monday, which Mr. Kearney telegraphed to last evening's Democrat. In both he assured the trade that no cut would be made. Said he:

"At the present time seeing that there is little or no carry-over from last year, that this crop is considerably less than last year's crop, and that the quality is excellent, and therefore any surplus may be carried over safely into the next year, I can see no sign of any business reason why prices should be reduced, and I do not believe that they will be reduced."

The very day that the interview appeared the cut was made. Obviously Mr. Kearney's gift of prophecy will suffice in New York.

The slowness of the season has produced some retrenchment in the expenses of the Central California Packing company. Inspectors from stock clerks have been reduced from \$4 to \$3 a day and even the wages of the girl operators are said to have been reduced.

WOMEN'S NEW BELTS, 50c

The perfect form tailored belt; made of black taffeta silk; pointed or scalloped edges; fastened with gilt or gun metal buckles.

NEW NECK BEADS, 35c

Graduated strings of neck beads; in dull or bright finish gold; set with imitation pearls and turquoise; patent fastening; easily opened; a very charming and inexpensive piece of jewelry.

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White pillow shams and bureau scarfs; in a good variety of patterns and unusually low in price; cut out speciel work; cord embroidered.

REDLICK'S

MILLIONAIRE KILLED BY EXPRESS TRAIN

B. Frank Clyde of Philadelphia Lost His Balance and Fell Before Locomotive.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Losing his balance as he was about to board a westbound train approaching the Fifty-second street station of the Pennsylvania railroad, B. Frank Clyde, vice president of the William P. Clyde Steamship company and millionaire clubman, was dragged under the wheels of the locomotive and instantly killed. His body was terribly mangled and his face crushed beyond recognition. While his body was being extricated from the forward trucks of the car, under which it had been wedged, Mrs. Clyde, unaware of the tragic ending of her husband's life, passed the scene of the accident on a train coming to the city from Bryn Mawr, where Clyde was bound when he met his death.

Clyde maintained a city residence, but spent most of his time at his country house. He was 53 years of age and married only three months ago to Mrs. Bloomfield McIlvaine. He was well known in business, society and club circles, and was a director of the Central, National and Delaware insurance companies.

EQUITABLE LIFE TRUSTEES PREPARE TO ELECT DIRECTORS

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Grover Cleveland, Morgan J. O'Brien and George Westinghouse, the stock voting trustees in the Equitable Life Assurance Society, today sent through the secretary circular letters to all the policyholders of the society asking for suggestions as to the selection of thirteen directors to be chosen by the trustees. The circular announces that the next annual meeting of the directors will be held at the office of the society in New York at noon, December 6th, when the trustees will vote for thirteen directors of whom seven will be taken from the policyholders.

A Pretty Home Wedding.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown, two miles east of Clovis, at 3 o'clock on Sunday, J. C. Floyd and Miss Mae P. Brown were united in marriage, Rev. Dr. W. B. Farr officiating. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends from Modesto were present to witness the ceremony.

The happy pair left immediately for San Francisco where they are spending their honeymoon. Floyd is a prosperous young farmer of Modesto and the bride a popular young lady of Clovis.

Catholic Sailors at Rome.

ROME, Oct. 24.—About fifty Catholic sailors from the United States cruiser Minneapolis, now at Naples, accompanied by two officers and the Catholic chaplain of the vessel, arrived here to day, in order to be received by the pope.

STABBED BY MAN HE FIRED

Discharged Employee, Drunk, Attacks Meat Man.

Proprietor Henderson of Frisco Market Slashed Across Chest and Leg.

The vindictive rage of a drunken man augered because he had been discharged; nearly brought death last night to William H. Henderson, one of the proprietors of the Henderson & Boles' meat market. Edward Fontaine stabbed Henderson twice and Henderson came very near bleeding to death before his wounds were stopped of the flow of blood. Fontaine is in jail, sorry and sober.

Fontaine is ordinarily a very peaceable man but the flow of liquor through his blood yesterday afternoon made a vicious, quarrelsome fiend of him. He had been employed by Henderson & Boles, proprietors of the Frisco market and of the West Side Cash market, as caretaker of wagons and rigs used in the butcher business. Yesterday afternoon with liquor in his veins he was at work in the barn behind the West Side Cash market on F street near Fresno street.

During the afternoon he came in contact with G. M. Boles, who asked Fontaine concerning some of the details of his work. Fontaine was sulky and made threats against Boles. Boles left the place and reported the matter to Henderson, who is the more active in the meat business of the two partners.

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With his apron blood soaked and the red life fluid streaming down his legs Henderson knew he had not a moment to lose. He ran to the shop, where several of his employees were, and in a few words explained the trouble. He jumped into a buggy and was driven at a rapid gait to the Forsyth building. He went at once to the office of Dr. A. Cowan. Blood spurted from the wound in the leg and small pools of it marked his trail along the paved floor.

Dr. Cowan and Dr. Kjaerby dressed the wounds. The slash at the chest was six inches long and reached to the bone, but did not enter the chest cavity. The most serious cut was the one in the groin. A branch of the femoral artery was slashed and a vein was wide open. Henderson was weak from loss of blood.

He was taken down stairs and in Shannan & Bell's ambulance he was transferred to the Burnett sanitarium, where he remained during the night very weak. Dr. Cowan said that the cuts were not dangerous but that the man was much exhausted from bleeding. Henderson's condition is serious.

The word of the affair was telephoned to police headquarters by employees in the shop. Policeman Brewbaker who was on duty in headquarters immediately jumped on a bicycle and started for the place. He was delayed a short time at the railroad by a freight train. At the shop he quickly secured a description of Fontaine.

"He hangs about the Cosmopolitan hotel a good deal," Brewbaker was told. The hotel is about a block from the scene of the accident. Brewbaker walked into the place and immediately selected a man leaning with his back against the bar as Fontaine. The policeman, who was in citizens clothes, walked close up to Fontaine and suddenly grasped the man's right wrist with his left hand. With his right hand Brewbaker drew back his club.

"Drop that knife. I am an officer," commanded Brewbaker.

"Are you an officer?" asked Fontaine. "Yes," said Brewbaker.

"Well, I'll drop it then," said Fontaine. The blade was closed. Brewbaker handcuffed Fontaine and searched "What are you arresting me for?" asked Fontaine.

"You ought to know," said Brewbaker. "You did it."

"What is a man going to do when he talks to you like he did to me? He called me a tramp and he knocked me down. What could I do?" said he. Brewbaker says that Fontaine was drunk when he was arrested, but that he sobered up rapidly. Jailer Rutherford says that the man was still quite drunk when he was brought into jail. A few minutes in jail sobered Fontaine up and he became very sorry for what he had done.

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SPURNED ADVANCES LED TO SHOOTING IN SEATTLE KITCHEN.

SEATTLE, Oct. 24.—Joseph John Fiatt, an Assyrian, 22 years old, shot Lottie Nicholas, an Assyrian widow of the same age, who had spurned his offers of marriage. Fiatt walked into the kitchen, where the woman was working and shot her twice in the back, making his escape. Assyrian residents of the neighborhood threaten to lynch him if they capture him.

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